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CAREER OF COLONEL KNOCKER.

Every town has its gentleman socialist. His name is Colonel Knocker. He does not rail at wealth and honor in any town, but his own. Colonel Knocker is always an idle man and so is on the outside of the business life of the town. Society in a small town has no place for men so Colonel Knocker does not enter into the town gaieties. What Colonel Knocker has he wants himself, and so he is not asked to give to the town enterprises. As the town goes ahead Colonel Knocker runs along behind knocking, knocking. He says such and such institutions are leaving the town. The rich men of the town come under his hammer. He says they would be the laughing stock of a city. If a citizen in the town becomes distinguished, Colonel Knocker takes out his hammer and goes down town, where he tries to find listeners while he knocks and ridicules. Colonel Knocker is usually a man who has a quick tongue and in the beginning of his career as a knocker he could keep a crowd laughing as he used his hammer. But nothing becomes as tiresome as constant hammering. Colonel Knocker's audiences begin to dwindle. When a new man comes to town Colonel Knocker has a good time beating a brisk tattoo with his hammer on the town and its citizens, but he soon wears the newcomer and finally the time comes when Colonel Knocker is as great a nuisance as the town drunkard. He can be locked up. The only relief from Colonel Knocker is when he and his well worn hammer are laid to rest. After he is gone his own family cannot recall one generous act of his to the town on which he knocked, or one word of praise from him to his fellow townsmen who lived with the sound of his hammer. —Massillon Gleaner.

Canton merchants report that trade this year is ahead of expectations. The recent additions to the interurban service has brought thousands of dollars of trade to this city that has heretofore gone to other places. An effort should be made to revive the project of the proposed line through Carroll county to connect with a line to Steubenville. Such a road would mean much to this city, and every reasonable encouragement should be offered to insure it being a success. This spirit should also apply to any proposed road that wishes to enter the city.

Attorney General Wade Ellis has awakened to the fact that the methods of the bridge trust in this state have been of the most reprehensible character. That the days of bridge scandals in Ohio are nearing an end is evident to the most casual observer. It is said that the members of the combine are now devoting their energies to the southern field and that the territory south of the Ohio river has been divided among the various members of the so-called trust.

The News is informed that the farmers are taking up the proposition as outlined in this paper relative to the proposed boulevard and that already one petition of fifty signers has been forwarded to Columbus.

ONCE A COLONEL ALWAYS ONE.

A dispatch from Berlin will be read with interest in Kentucky, Georgia and other parts of the country where the colonels predominate. It seems that a Colonel Gaedke, retired, who had become military critic of the Tageblatt, fell afoul of the War Department, which in turn sought to deprive him of his military title. The Colonel, however, seems to have been worthy of both, if readiness to fight for what he deemed his rights is a qualification. Failing to taunt the court of honor into prosecuting him he denounced

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New Scientific Appliance, Always a Perfect Fit—Adjustable to Any Size Person—Easy, Comfortable, Never Slips, No Obnoxious Springs or Pads—Costs Less Than Many Common Trusses—Made for Men, Women and Children.

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I have invented a rupture appliance that I can safely say, by 30 years' experience in the rupture business, is the only one that will absolutely hold the rupture and never slip and yet is cool, comfortable, conforms to every movement of the body without chafing or hurting and costs less than many ordinary trusses. There are no springs or hard lumpy pads and yet it



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holds the rupture safely and firmly without pain or inconvenience. I have put the price so low that any person, rich or poor, can buy, and I absolutely guarantee it.

I make it to your order—send it to you—you wear it, and if it doesn't satisfy you send it back to me and I will refund your money without question.

That is the fairest proposition ever made by a rupture specialist. The banks or the postmaster here in Marshall will tell you that is the way I do business—always absolutely on the square.

Here is what Mr. Jas. Britton, a prominent manufacturer of Bethlehem, Pa., writes:

"C. E. Brooks, Esq. Dear Sir:—I have been ruptured six years and have always had trouble with it till I got your appliance. It is very easy to wear, fits neat and snug, and is not in the way at any time, day or night. In fact at times I did not know I had it on. It just adapted itself to the shape of the body and clung to the spot no matter what position I was in. It would be a veritable God-send to the unfortunate who suffer from rupture, all could procure the Brooks Rupture Appliance and wear it. They certainly would never regret it. My rupture is all healed up and nothing ever did it but your appliance. Jas. Britton."

If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success. Write me today and I will send you my book on Rupture and its Cure, showing my appliance and giving you prices and names of people who have tried it and been cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember I use no salves, no harness, no ties. Just a straight business deal at a reasonable price. C. E. Brooks, 1310 Brooks Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

himself for having violated the decree, and at a trial just completed has been triumphantly acquitted. This means that in Germany once a colonel always a colonel is good law, no matter what it may be in military practice.

If Germany, that land of punctilious militarism, upholds a man in calling himself a colonel even when the whole War Department and the Emperor declare he has ceased to be one, surely our Kentucky and Georgia colonels may be pardoned for insisting upon their titular distinctions.

THE PROFITS OF EVANGELISM.

It is to be inferred from some remarks that have lately appeared in the religious journals that the regular ministers, especially those in the country, are becoming somewhat restive under the system of expensively promoted evangelism that is now becoming the ordinary way of propagating religion. As the "Christian Register" expresses it, "nothing but a sense of delicacy restrains hundreds of ill-paid ministers from making a protest when they see traveling preachers, no better, wiser, or more devoted than themselves carry off, after the work of a few days or a few weeks, as much money as would come to them in a year." The rewards of the successful and popular evangelist are high.

It is all very different, this business of saving souls, from what it used to be. When the bearer of good tidings goes forth now to preach, he doth indeed provide himself with scrip for his journey, and quite abundantly; he taketh more than two coats, and also shoes. The fishers of men are no longer of the class of real fishermen. They are college graduates, verging upon the condition of business men. They are expected to "look prosperous" and do. Their credit would be shorn, and their gospel possibly rejected, if they came shabby and travel-stained, and dined on the church porch upon bread and cheese.

THREE WEDDINGS

Solemnized Yesterday by Rev. P. H. Welshimer—All Parties Were From Out of Town.

Glide Ross and Miss Ida E. Burress, both of Massillon, were married last night at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beckert, 1510 East Eighth street, by Rev. P. H. Welshimer. A wedding supper was served immediately after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will leave for Columbus this morning for a short wedding trip. The couple will make Massillon their home on their return. Mr. Ross is an engineer on the W. & L. E. railroad.

HUDSON-CALEY.

Samuel G. Caley and Miss Grace Hudson, both of North Industry, were married yesterday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. P. H. Welshimer at his home, 525 West Ninth street. They will make their home on a farm near North Industry.

MENCHING-SUTHERLAND.

Walter E. Sutherland, of Chicago, and Miss Clelia O. Menching, of Uniontown, O., were married Tuesday evening by P. H. Welshimer. They will reside in Chicago.

BOSTONIA SEXTETTE

Warm Praise for Artists Who Will Appear at the Next "Pog" Concert.

Of the Bostonia Sextette Club, of Boston, which organization appears at the Auditorium next Sunday, March 11, in the Grand Army Band's series of "Pog" concerts, the San Antonio Light, of San Antonio, Texas, has the following:

"The patrons of the Lyceum had the pleasure last evening of listening, at the Grand, to the delightful concert of the Bostonia Sextette Club, assisted by Miss Carolyn White, soprano, which was one of the most enjoyable attractions this association has as yet brought here this season. The concert consisted of a delightful program, and the artists composing the Sextette seemed at their best in interpreting it."

Real Estate Transfers.

Alliance, Fifth Ward.
Max and M. W. Geiger to Anna J. Miller, Sec. 35-218, 1-8 acre, \$500.

Anna J. Miller to John C. Sharer, Sec. 35-218, 1-8 acre, \$750.

Alliance, Sixth Ward.

Leroy L. Lamborn to the Lamborn Floral Co., P. S. W. Sec. 35-233, 10 35-100 acres, \$2,587.50.

Canton, First Ward.

C. M. Monroe to Geo. J. Brumbaugh, lot 1576, \$2,900.

Cornelius H. Jackson to Kate M. Kukenbrod, lot 234, S. 1-2, \$1.

Canton, Third Ward.

C. Young to Home Brewing Co., lots 1064 and 1065, 49x105, \$650.

Canton, Sixth Ward.

Daniel L. Stewart to Joseph N. Lefle, lot 881, W. 1-2, ex. 32 ft. S. S., \$1,000.

Henry Pfeifer to Wm. Pfeifer, lot 809, 50 ft. S. E., \$1.

Canton, Seventh Ward.

C. H. and Mary J. Jackson to Cora M. Kanneberg, lot 295, \$1.

Canton Township.

J. B. Summer to John Wenger, P. N. W. Sec. 22, 40 47-100 acres, \$4,600.

Lawrence Township.

City of Canal Fulton to Charles R. Daily, 8-100 acre, \$112.50.

O. C. Volkmore to John J. Wilson, P. S. E. Sec. 28, 27 -100 acre, \$130, duplicate value.

Tuscarawas Township.

John J. Wehler to Dora J. Wehler, \$475.

More Arrests at Alliance.

Alliance, O., March 7.—Officer Greenwalt raided the residence of Dot Williams in the Second ward, arresting the proprietress, two girls and three men. They were arraigned before Mayor McConnell and all pleaded guilty. The Williams woman was fined \$25 and costs for keeping a house of ill fame, the inmates were fined \$10 and costs and the visitors were each fined \$3 and costs.

Paris Note.

Paris, March 7.—Miss Eva Sponseller and lady friend of Alliance, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emery Sponseller.

Oliver Bates will move his family on Sam Matz's property. Mr. Bates expects to work on the railroad.

Mrs. I. Wartman, who has been sick for the past week at the home of her son, Theodore, is somewhat improved.

Miss Ida Naumen, of Canton, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Baughman and family and Walter Frye, of Maple Grove, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kreiger.

George Anthony will have a public sale March 14.

Mrs. Harry Sponseller is slowly improving.

Theo. Wartman will build a new house the coming spring.

William Harsh was a Minerva caller Saturday.

B. M. Stier will move on his farm in the spring.

Boyer—"What makes you say that man renovates headgear? Is he a hatter?"

Joyce—"No, an alienist."

Has a bright future—the boot-black.

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I Have Proven Cancer Can Be Cured at Home—No Pain, No Plaster, No Knife.—Dr. Wells.

I have discovered a new and seemingly unfailing cure for the deadly cancer. I have made some most astonishing cures. I believe every person with cancer should know of this marvelous medicine and its wonderful cures and I will be glad to give full information free to all who write me and tell me about their case.

Peter Keagan, Galesburg, Ill., had cancer of the mouth and throat. Doctors said, "no hope." Mr. Keagan wrote: "It is only a question of a short time—I must die." Today his cancer is healed up and he is well. My marvelous radiated fluid did it. It has other just such cures to its credit. It is saving people every day and restoring them to health and strength if you have cancer or any lump or sore that you believe is cancer, write today and learn how others have been cured quickly and safely and at very small expense. No matter what your condition may be, do not hesitate to write and tell me about it. I will answer your letter promptly, giving you absolutely free, full information and proof of many remarkable cures. Address, Dr. Rupert Wells, 1013 Granite Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

New Berlin News.

New Berlin, March 6.—The township trustees met at their office Monday to attend to the regular annual settlement pertaining to township affairs.

Miss Maude Willaman was visiting at Cuyahoga Falls over Sunday.

Miss Pearl Coleman spent Sunday with friends in Akron.

Peter Druckenbrod moved to Canton Tuesday.

There will be preaching Thursday evening at the Union church by Rev. C. E. Taylor. He may locate here as minister.

Miss E. Riley has returned to her home at Elyria after a visit of several days.

Miss Flora Sell, of Canton, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Leah Carpenter, Sunday.

Mrs. F. Druckenbrod and Miss Valentine spent a couple of days in Cleveland on business and pleasure.

Mrs. W. J. Evans, returned from Salem Friday with Mary, the sick baby, who has been quite ill but is much improved.

Mrs. Claude Taylor and two sons, of Salem, have been visiting with friends here.

Prof. Weckel and his "Two Idiots" will be here on Saturday evening to entertain the people.

Cold Comfort from Doctors.

Doctors say neuralgia is not dangerous. This is poor consolation to a sufferer who feels as if his face were pierced with hot needles and torn with a thousand pairs of pinners. A word of advice to him: stay indoors and use Perry Davis' Painkiller. The blessed freedom from pain which follows this treatment cannot be told. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

Moultrie News.

Moultrie, March 7.—Mrs. Alton Freed has returned to her home in Alliance after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Freed.

Mrs. William Pates, Mrs. L. E. Unger and Edgar Miller are on the sick list.

Percy Patterson is suffering with rheumatism.

C. A. Edwards is working in Alliance.

W. W. Nunemaker of Youngstown visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrenus Nunemaker Sunday.

Mrs. William Born and family of Waynesburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shively a few days last week.

Misses May and Martha Born visited Mrs. David Bates Sunday.

Clara, little daughter of Mr. and

A Positive CATARRH CURE

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Mrs. Marion Stumps, is ill. L. R. Edwards was shopping in Minerva Tuesday.

Howard Essick will work for his grandfather, Peter Feed, the coming summer.

MARKET REPORT.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 7.—Cattle—Supply light, and market steady. Choice \$5.40@5.60; prime \$5.15@5.35; good \$4.85@5.10; tidy \$4.50@4.80; fair \$4.00@4.40; common \$3.50@3.85; good to choice heifers \$4.00@4.25; common to fair heifers \$2.50@3.75; common to good fat cows \$2.00@4.00; common to good fat cows and springers \$3.50@5.00; common to fair \$2.00@3.00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light and market steady. Prime wethers \$5.80@6.00; good mixed \$5.50@5.75; fair mixed \$5.00@5.40; common \$2.50@3.50; lambs \$5.00@7.50; veal calves \$8.00@8.75; heavy and thin \$4.00@5.00. Hogs—Receipts light, five double decks, market slow. Prime heavy \$6.60@6.65; medium and heavy Yorkers \$6.70@6.75; light Yorkers \$6.60; pigs \$6.50@6.65; roughs \$5.00@5.70; stags \$3.50@4.25.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, March 7.—All the strength that characterized the closing phase of yesterday's wheat market melted before the hotness of the fire kept up throughout the session by the bears. The situation showed no great novelty, except that at the close May wheat was 1 3/4 cents lower and July at almost as great a reduction. Corn declined 3/8 cent for July and May was a shade weaker than the other. Oats lost about as much as corn. Even provisions failed to hold, but the decline was trifling.

Cash sales, wheat—No. 2 red 80@82; No. 2 hard 76@78; No. 1 Northern 78@80; No. 2 Northern 77@80.

Corn—No. 2, 40 1-2@41; No. 2 white 41@41 1-2; No. 2 yellow 40 3-4@ 41 1-4.

Oats—No. 2, 30; No. 2 white 31 1-2@ 32.

Buying Prices.

Canton, March 8, 1906.

(Corrected daily by E. M. Shreiner.)

Apples, \$1.50.

Cabbage, \$1.50 per hundred.

Butter, 24c per lb.

Chickens, 10@12c.

Eggs, 16c per doz.

Lard, 9@9 1/2 c.

Potatoes, 60c per bu.

Parsnips, 75c per bu.

Spinach, 8c per lb.

Retail Prices.

Apples, 50@60c per pk.

Bananas, 15@20c per doz.

Butter, 28c per lb.

Cabbage, 3c lb.

Carrots, 25c per pk.

Celery, 3 bunches for 10c.

Chickens, live, 13@14c.

Chickens, dressed, 16@18c.

Eggs, 18c per doz.

Lard, 13c per lb.

Lettuce, 25c.

Lemons, 2 for 5c.

Onions, 10c per one-fourth peck.

Oranges, 30@40c per doz.

Potatoes, 25c per pk.; 90c per bu.

Spinach, 12c per lb.

Canton Grain Markets.

Dealers pay following prices:

(Corrected daily by the Smith Grain Co.)

Wheat, 47c.

Corn, in ear, 50c per bushel.

Oats, 32c.

Hay, baled, \$10.00 per ton.

Straw, baled, \$6.00 per ton.

Cloverseed, \$7.50 per bu.

Retail.

Wheat, \$1.00.

Oats, 40c per bushel.

Corn, 60c per bushel.

Hay, 75c per cwt.

Straw 60c per cwt.

Brn, \$21.00 per ton.

Peerless corn and oats, chopped, \$25

Middlings, \$21.00@25.00 per ton.

Corn, oats and barley, chopped, \$24.

Victor chop, \$20.00.

Retail Meat Prices.

Beef—Rib roast, 12@14c; chuck, 10

@12c; boiling, 6@10c; round steak, 12@14c; porterhouse steak, 18c; tenderloin steak, 20c; Hamburg steak, 16c per pound.

Veal—Steak, 22c; loin chops, 18c, rib chops, 16c; shoulder chops, 14c; stew, 8@12c.

Pork—Fresh steak, 16c; chops, 15c; smoked ham, sliced, 20c; bacon, 16@22c; boiled ham, 30c; dried beef, 30c; minced ham, 15c; smoked sausage, 14c; fresh sausage, 13c.

Rib chops, 18c; shoulder chops, 16c; stew, 6@10c.

Lamb—Steak, 22c; loin chops, 20c; rib chops, 16c.

Wholesale Meat Prices.

Smoked ham, 12c.

Bacon, 11@16c.

Lamb, dressed, 11 1/2 c.

California ham, 8 1/2 c.

Lard, 9 1/2 c.

Beef loins, 9@10c.

Dressed beef, 7@7 1/2 c.

Dressed veal, 11c.

Dressed hogs, 8 1/2 @9c.

Beef, hind, 9 1/2 @10 1/2 c.

Pork loins, 11 1/2 c.

Cheap Rates to California and Mexico

Daily until April 7th, inclusive, Colonists' tickets will be on sale to California and Mexico points at exceptionally low rates:

	To	San Francisco	Mexico City
From	Los Angeles	Guadalupe	
Chicago	\$13	\$31	
St. Louis	\$9	\$27	
Kansas City	\$9	\$24	

Through tourist sleepers from St. Louis to San Francisco on Tuesday of each week. You step into the car at St. Louis and do not leave it until you reach California.

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